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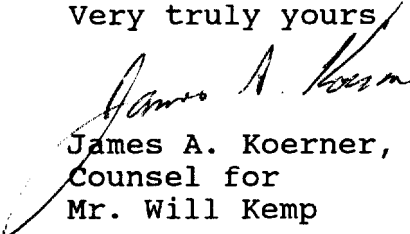
Mr. William F. Caton
Acting Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, N.W. Room 222
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Mr. Caton:

On behalf of Mr. Will Kemp, there are transmitted herewith an original and four (4) copies of a Petition for Rule Making, looking toward the allotment of FM Channel 244C to Mesquite, Nevada.

Should additional information be necessary in connection with this matter, please communicate with this office.

Very truly yours


James A. Koerner,
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Mr. Will Kemp

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**Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D. C..**

In the Matter)

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Amendment of Section 73.202(b),
Table of Allotments,
FM Broadcast Stations,
(Mesquite, Nevada))

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TO: Chief, Allocations Branch
Policy and Rules Division
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PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

Will Kemp, by his attorneys, hereby respectfully requests that the Commission initiate a rule making proceeding, looking toward the allotment of FM Channel 244C to Mesquite, Nevada. In support of this request, the following is submitted.

Mesquite, Nevada (1990 population 1,871) is situated on the north-eastern edge of Clark County, Nevada (1990 population 741,459) near its border with the State of Arizona. It is an incorporated community, with its own post office (Zip Code 89024).

Mesquite possesses all of the normal attributes of a community, as that term is used for allotment purposes. Indeed, there is presently one FM Channel (241C1) allotted to Mesquite. Eleven applications are presently pending for that allotment.

Attached hereto is an Engineering statement demonstrating the Channel 244C can be allotted consistent with the Commission's spacing requirements. The assumed coordinates are those of the Channel's transmitter site, which is the site Mr. Kemp proposes to use, i.e. NL 36 degrees, 51 minutes, 27 seconds; WL 113 degrees, 56 minutes, 30 seconds.

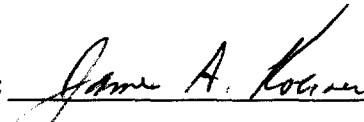
If the channel is allotted as requested herein, Mr. Kemp intends to apply for a construction permit. Upon grant of the permit, Mr. Kemp will construct the station and place it in operation.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the FM Table of Allotments be amended as follows:

	Present	Proposed
Mesquite, Nevada	241C1	241C1, 244C

Respectfully submitted

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ENGINEERING STATEMENT

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ENGINEERING STATEMENT

PREPARED IN SUPPORT OF A
PETITION FOR RULEMAKING TO
AMEND THE FM TABLE OF ALLOTMENTS
TO ADD CHANNEL 244-C (96.7 MHz) AT
MESQUITE, NEVADA
FEBRUARY 25, 1997

SUMMARY

The following engineering statement has been prepared on behalf of Kemp Communications, Inc in support of its petition to add Channel 244-C (96.7 MHz) to the FM Table of Allotments, Section 73.202 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. The proposal complies with Section 73.207 of the Rules for domestic facilities and complies with Section 73.315 concerning 70-dBu service to the Community of License.

This statement is complete with the following:

Exhibits:

- E-1 FM Channel Spacing Study (table)
- E-2 FM Channel 244-C Allocation Location Map
- E3A FM Spacing Study Map
- E3B FM Spacing Study Map
- E3C FM Spacing Study Map

REFERENCE COORDINATES/TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

The reference coordinates for the proposed Channel 244-C at Mesquite, Nevada are:

North Latitude: 36 51 35
West Longitude: 113 56 30

The eight radial AAT for the reference coordinates is 892 meters. The radiation center used for the contour study is, therefore, 1492 meters AMSL for a HAAT of 600 meters.

A transmitter facility at the theoretical maximum power and height at the allocation coordinates would cover 25,049 Sq Km and serve 56,158 people.

COMMUNITY CHARACTERISTICS

Mesquite is located in Clark County, Nevada. The 1990 U.S. Census data for the city and county follow:

	<u>Mesquite City</u>	<u>Clark County</u>
1990 Census	1,871	741,459

There is currently one FM allocation at Mesquite, Nevada on channel 248-C1 and eleven applications for that channel currently on file with the Commission.

CONCLUSION

The coordinates indicated herein meet all of the domestic and foreign mileage separation requirements.

The foregoing was prepared on behalf of Kemp Communications, Inc. by W. Richard Green of W. Richard Green & Associates, Cameron park, California whose qualifications are a matter of record with the Federal Communications Commission.

The statements herein are true and correct of his own knowledge, except such statements made on information and belief, and as to these statements he believes them to be true and Correct.

Date: 2/25/97 By W. Richard Green
W. Richard Green
for W. Richard Green & Associates
Cameron Park, California

FCC ENGINEERING EXHIBIT E-1

FM CHANNEL SPACING STUDY

FOR

KEMP COMMUNICATIONS, INC

AT

MESQUITE, NEVADA

FM CHANNEL: 244-C

Latitude: 36-51-35

Longitude: 113-56-30

FCC Database file date: February 22, 1997

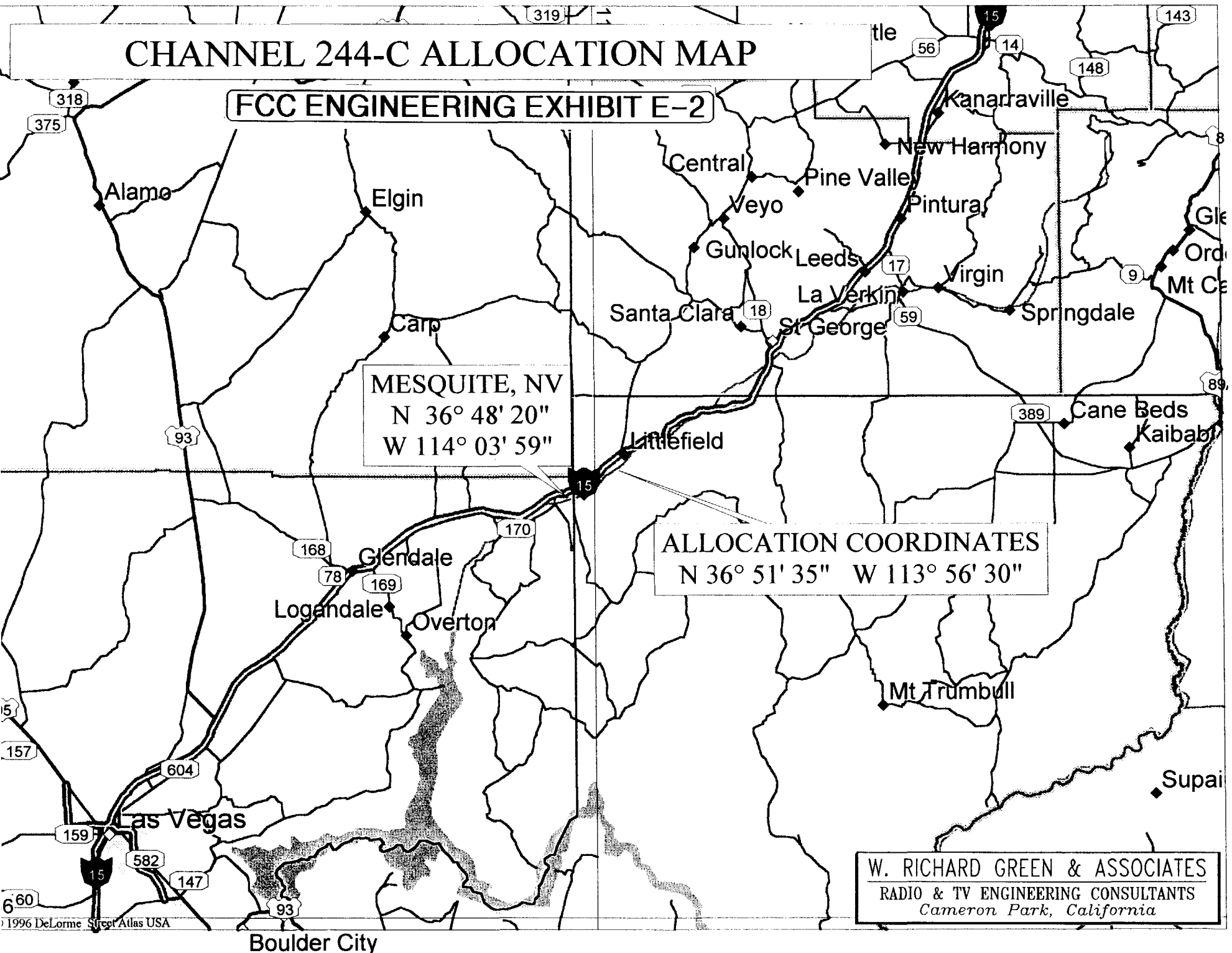
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CHANNEL	Call	EDX Record	City	ST	Status	Bear.	Dist.	Reqd. Dist.	Result
244C2	KVTF	20240	Williams	AZ	LIC	139.2	251.7	249.0	2.7
244C2	NEW	20651	Lake Havasu City	AZ	APP	185.1	257.1	249.0	8.1
244C2	NEW	20654	Lake Havasu City	AZ	APP	185.5	264.5	249.0	15.5
244C2	NEW	20658	Lake Havasu City	AZ	APP	185.1	257.1	249.0	8.1
244C2	ALLOTM	20659	Lake Havasu City	AZ	VACANT	187.5	265.8	249.0	16.8
244C2	NEW	20663	Lake Havasu City	AZ	APP	186.9	250.6	249.0	1.6
244C2	NEW	20676	Lake Havasu City	AZ	APP	185.1	257.1	249.0	8.1
244C2	NEW	20682	Lake Havasu City	AZ	APP	185.5	264.5	249.0	15.5
244C1	NEW	20755	Ely	NV	APP	343.0	271.9	270.0	1.9
244C1	ALLOTM	20759	Ely	NV	VACANT	343.0	271.9	270.0	1.9
246C	KXPT	20979	Las Vegas	NV	LIC	235.1	171.4	105.0	
246C	KXPT	20987	Las Vegas	NV	LIC	235.1	171.4	105.0	
242C	KKLZ	21019	Las Vegas	NV	LIC	225.5	134.3	105.0	29.3

***** End of channel 244-C study *****

CHANNEL 244-C ALLOCATION MAP

FCC ENGINEERING EXHIBIT E-2



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